RACIAL PROFILING DATA/2000

Agency: Newton County Sheriff's Dept.

Population: 38,817 age 18 and over

KEY INDICATORS	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Stops	200	183	4	5	1	0	7
Searches	12	10	2	0	0	0	0
Arrests	18	15	2	0	0	0	1
Statewide population %	N/A	86.38	10.41	1.82	1.43	1.03	0.99
Local population %	N/A	94.02	0.65	1.69	0.78	3.55	1.16
Disparity index	N/A	0.97	3.09	1.48	0.64	0.00	3.01
Search rate	6.00	5.46	50.00	0.00	0.00	#Error	0.00

Notes:

Population figures are for those who are 18 years of age and older. Figures are from the 2000 Census (driving-age figures are not yet available).

Black, Asian, and American Indian includes persons of mixed race. Other race includes unknown race.

The disparity index = proportion of stops / proportion of population. A value of 1 represents no disparity; values greater than 1 indicate over-representation.

Search rate = (searches / stops) X 100.

#Error indicates zero denominator.

TRAFFIC	STOP STATS	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Violation leading to stop	Moving	135	124	3	4	1	0	3
	Equipment	36	34	0	0	0	0	2
	License	20	17	1	0	0	0	2
Stop outcome	Citation	62	55	1	2	0	0	4
	Warning	128	120	2	3	1	0	2
Location of stop	Interstate hwy	8	8	0	0	0	0	0
	US hwy	13	10	0	0	0	0	3
	State hwy	102	95	1	4	1	0	1
	County road	40	38	1	0	0	0	1
	City street	44	39	2	1	0	0	2
	Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Driver gender	Male	143	130	3	2	1	0	7
	Female	57	53	1	3	0	0	0
Driver age	17 and under	21	21	0	0	0	0	0
	18-29	79	68	3	3	1	0	4
	30-39	46	44	0	1	0	0	1
	40 and over	54	50	1	1	0	0	2

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SEARCH	STATS	Total	White	Black	Hispanic	Asian	Am. Indian	Other
Probable cause/ authority to search	Consent	7	6	1	0	0	0	0
	Inventory	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Drug/alcohol odor	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
	Incident to arrest	5	5	0	0	0	0	0
	Plain view contraband	2	1	1	0	0	0	0
	Reasonable suspicion-weapon	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Drug-dog alert	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Other	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
What	Driver	11	9	2	0	0	0	0
searched	Car/property	9	8	1	0	0	0	0
Search	0-15 minutes	10	8	2	0	0	0	0
duration	16-30 minutes	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
	31+ minutes	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Contra-	Drugs/alcohol	4	3	1	0	0	0	0
band found	Currency	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Weapon	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
	Stolen property	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Other	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Arrest charge	Outstanding warrant	6	4	1	0	0	0	1
	Drug violation	3	3	0	0	0	0	0
	Resist arrest	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Offense against person	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	DWI/BAC	5	5	0	0	0	0	0
	Property offense	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Other	4	4	0	0	0	0	0

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